

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP, RP  
SUBJECT: ROMULO TAKES EXCEPTION

1. FOREIGN SECRETARY ROMULO'S ASSISTANT, AMBASSADOR MABILANGAN,  
TELEPHONED ME THIS AFTERNOON (SEPT. 15) CONCERNING AP REPORT  
FRONT PAGED THIS MORNING IN "BULLETIN TODAY"  
THAT "U.S. PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER IS SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING  
THE APPOINTMENT OF CAREER DIPLOMAT DAVID NEWSOM TO BE  
AMBASSADOR TO THE PHILIPPINES, U.S. OFFICIALS SAID TUESDAY."

2. ACCORDING TO MABILANGAN, ROMULO WANTS US TO KNOW THAT,  
"WE REGRET THAT ITEM VERY MUCH. IF IT CAME FROM THE STATE  
DEPARTMENT, THAT WOULD BE A VIOLATION OF PROTOCOL, TO MENTION  
THE NAME OF THE PROSPECTIVE AMBASSADOR EVEN BEFORE THE  
AGREEMENT HAS BEEN GRANTED."

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